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NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court

In the matter of the Petition of Josiah

H. Best of Tack's Beach, Placentia

Bay, Planter, praying to be declared

insolvent.

Upon reading the Petition, Schedule

and Affidavit of the above named Josiah H. Best, reading over that he is insolvent, do order that the said Josiah H. Best appear before me at St. John's on Thursday, the 27th day of April inst., at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to be examined and heard touching the alleged insolvency.

I do further order that the Right Honourable Sir William F. Lloyd, Registrar of the Supreme Court, be and is hereby appointed interim trustee of the estate and effects of the said Josiah H. Best.

Dated at St. John's, the 18th day of

April, A.D. 1922.

(Sgd.) GEO. M. JOHNSON,

Mr. Fenlon for Petitioner. Judge.

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The Broken Circle!

CHAPTER XXII.

The general was greatly perplexed and quite at a loss what to do. At first he thought he would consult the duchess, who appeared to him to be a compendium of all worldly knowledge, but he soon dismissed that idea. It would be a betrayal of a secret that he had discovered himself only by chance. During the next few days he watched Leah covertly, and now that he had the key, he understood the enigma of her conduct better. He saw how completely engrossed she was in her love—that she seemed to have no thought, no interest, no care outside it. It would be in every respect a most eligible match, thought the general. The two estates would become one, and Sir Basil would make a name for himself. They were both young, handsome, gifted. What a pity that Sir Basil did not fall in love with the girl who was so devoted to him!

Leah came down one morning looking pale and tired; she had not slept during the night, and the dark eyes were languid and shaded. Sir Arthur grew alarmed and anxious about her. He wanted to take her out for a drive, but she declined going. She admitted that she was not well. He proposed that he should take her into the woods, or for a walk down to the sea, but the sun was hot—she would not venture. The general was greatly disturbed.

The duchess found him wandering uneasily up and down the terrace.

"You are looking very grave this morning, Sir Arthur," she said. "May I venture to ask what occupies your thoughts?"

"I am thinking about subjects that I do not in the least understand," he answered. "It seems to me that even after so many years' experience, I know but little of life. Tell me, duchess—you understand matters—do girls ever really suffer and die from love?"

The duchess started. Had he, too, found out the secret that she had discovered?

"Yes," she answered, "I think they do sometimes die of love. Not often; there are exceptional cases, as there are exceptional natures."

His face cleared a little.

"It is not the kind of thing you



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would expect from a sensible girl?" he interrogated.

"No," replied the duchess; "it is the last thing that would happen to a sensible girl."

He gave a great sigh of relief.

"And yet you think there are girls who would really die if they were what is called 'crossed in love?'

"Yes," said the duchess. "I think so. If a girl is full of romance and poetry, and throws her heart and soul into her love, the consequences are likely to be serious if matters do not progress smoothly."

There was little room to be gained from this—for Leah, he knew, was visionary and romantic.

"It seems to me," he said gently, "that such love causes more pain than pleasure."

"I think it does," agreed the duchess.

"I had better make my mark first," he said.

The general looked at him keenly.

"You are not one of those who despise marriage, or think it of little consequence?" he queried.

"No—far from it. I think it is the one step in life that makes or mars a man; his happiness or misery most certainly depends upon it; therefore, I hope to look before I leap."

"Quite right," said the general; "you could not do better. Men have such different tastes. Now, what is your idea of a wife?"

Sir Basil laughed.

"I do not know that I have formed one yet."

The general looked relieved. If his heart was yet untouched, why could he not learn to love Leah?

"I should like to know," he said, thoughtfully, "what you would expect in a wife. What are the qualifications you deem necessary in a woman who would aspire to that position?"

"I have never thought about it; I suppose my ideas are not different from other people's," answered Sir Basil, laughing.

"Would you marry for beauty, money, or position?"

"No; I should marry for love," said Sir Basil. "I should never marry for beauty, though I should like the woman I love to have a fair face of her own. I do not care for money—I have quite enough; but I shall not be ill-pleased if my wife has some fortune."

(To be continued.)

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"No, I am not a radical; but I think there are many fine and noble men in England to be found among the radicals."

"That may be," acknowledged Sir Arthur. "Politics," he continued, "are a fair game, at which every man can play. I respect the convictions of every honest man; but I loathe and detest men who trade upon others, make tools of them, and foster rebellion and murder."

"That is not radicalism," said Sir Basil, calmly.

But it was not politics that the general wished to discuss.

"I suppose you would like to go into parliament," Sir Basil, he remarked.

"I have often thought of it," he said; "and I shall most certainly try for it. That is my ideal life—to serve my country in some way during part of the year, and to live on my estate during the remainder. One of my greatest ambitions is to have a model estate."

"A very noble ambition, too," remarked the general. "I approve of that. And do you not think of marrying yet? But you will want a wife to do the honors for you, if you carry out our plans."

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**Bombshell Exploded
at Genoa Conference.**

ries Furious Over New Russo-German Treaty—Brest-Litovsk Agreement Nullified—Collins Throws Automatic on Assailants—Turks Attack and Massacre Helpless Greeks.

RUSSO-GERMAN TREATY SIGNED. arising from the past and clears the way for future co-operation between Russia and Germany.

THE ATTACK ON COLLINS.

DUBLIN, April 17. Michael Collins, describing the attack on him last night, said he had got out of the car at the entrance to Vaughan's Hotel when a number of men rushed from a house, surrounded him and a friend and started shooting. "I pulled my automatic and believe I wounded one man," Collins added. "I caught another, took away his revolver and had him sent to Mount Joy Jail where a bomb was found in his pocket." Asked what would be done with the man, Collins said "What would be done with a man who attempted murder in a well ordered country but prosecute him." Rory O'Connor, head of the insurgent troops here, declared to-day that the first shot was fired by someone of the Collins party and that later, shots were fired from an armoured car into the O'Connor's office. O'Connor added, "If these provocative acts continue no one can say what will happen. We don't go out around firing indiscriminately, but we know Free Staters do."

ALLIES ANNOYED.

GENOA, April 17. According to Reuters, the Allies, anxious at the signing of the treaty between Russia and Germany, will take no action until the treaty has a right to think the matter.

SIGNOR SCHANZER AND LLOYD

expressed astonishment to German official who handed them out of the treaty. It is not the incident will break up the conference. In British circles it is the possibility of the treaty being foreseen. One reason for the British desire to prevent the entry of Europe in Camps. German action has placed her in a bad position towards the Allies, but it is considered Russia's situation is affected. A German official declaration declares the treaty on realities, removes obstacles

District, inhabited by Sinn Feiners this afternoon, and three persons, including a boy and a girl were taken to hospital. Seven houses were burnt in Old Park District to-day.

NEW SILVER STRIKE.
DAWSON, YUKON, April 17. An important new silver strike was reported at Keno Hill.

TO ADJUST BY CONSULTATION.
GENOA, April 17.

Premier Facta, of Italy, as President of the Economic Conference, issued a sudden summons this afternoon for a Conference of the head delegates of the powers and announced that the subject of the meeting was to adjust by consultation, the attitude of the Allies toward the Russian question.

PORTUGUESE FLIES LEFT CAPE VERDE.

ST. VINCENT, CAPE VERDE, April 17.—The Portuguese hydro airplane in which Captains Sacamuru and Co-utinho are endeavouring to fly from Portugal to Brazil, left here to-day on a twelve hour flight to St. Paul's Rocks in mid-Atlantic.

MISSISSIPPI IN FLOOD.

ARKANSAS CITY, April 17. owing to floods threatening the Mississippi embankment, a call was sent out for assistance to construct emergency embankments. Most of the homes are twenty feet below the water level. One hundred convicts have been sent to aid in the fight and help remove people and cattle.

In Cherry Blossom Time.

PRINCE OF WALES SEES JAPANESE AT PLAY.

TOKIO, April 12 (Associated Press)—The Prince of Wales is visiting Japan in cherry blossom time, the most delightful season of this "Land of Sunrise." Some of the ceremonies which will attend his tour will be made more attractive by the festivities in which the Japanese indulge during this time when all Japan puts on its loveliest appearance. As soon as the cherry buds begin to open the whole country including even the city streets is transformed into a fairy land enticing all its people into the open or for the national fete of flower visits. In this season the holiday spirit is abroad and all who can give themselves up to gaiety. The people gather at all the well known resorts dressed in their best or fantastic costumes that match their feelings and keep festival all day long under the pinkwhite blossoms. The genial influence of the season warms everyone into jollity and their buoyant spirit finds expression in joyous festivals. These occasions of popular rejoicing which follow one another through the spring are excellent opportunities for the British Prince to see the Japanese at play.

"Yes, yes," said the Prince, "but what is intill?"

"Weel, there's mutton intill' and neeps intill, and—"

"Yes, I see; but what is intill?"

The man looked at him, and seeing that the Prince was serious he replied, "There's mutton intill', and neeps intill, and—"

"Yes, certainly, I know," still argued the Prince; "but what is intill?"

"Gudeasake, man," yelled the Scotsman, brandishing his big ladle. "Am I na thrang tellin' ye what's intill?"

"There's mutton intill', and—"

Here the interview was brought to a close by one of the Prince's suite, who fortunately was passing, explaining His Royal Highness that intill simply meant "into it," and nothing more.

A DESCRIPTIVE HYMN.

The Imperial Garden Party or cherry party is one of the most interesting of these spring festivals and one of the two outstanding social functions of the year in Japan. Government officials, prominent business men, merchants, social workers and distinguished foreign visitors are guests of the Emperor and Empress in this occasion and it is expected that the Prince of Wales will attend the function this year. The party is held when the cherry blossom is at its best in the imperial garden at Hinjuku, a suburb of Tokio where the spacious lawns decked out with beds of spring flowers and blossoming trees and shrubs provide ample accommodation for a big assemblage. A welcome innovation of recent years has been the removal of all restrictions on women's dress. Heretofore a

DESTRUCTIVE TORNADO IN DIANA.

LAFAYETTE, IND., April 16.

Ten persons were killed and one hundred injured and much property damaged by a tornado near here to-day.

MORE SHOOTING IN BELFAST.

BELFAST, April 17.

There was shooting in Marrowbone

**The Boy Who Started to Town
With a Hundred Dollars**

The advice they gave him for getting on in the world was simple and familiar enough: "Keep what you have, and build on it. Be careful what you do and it will grow into more."

It's a safe rule—with money or health, but a good many overlook the rule with health, until they have lost what they had. Then it's hard to get a new supply.

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A SPIRITUAL BAROMETER.

A minister in Orkney having been asked by the Rev. Mr. Spark minister of St. Magnus, to conduct service in his church, and also to baptize his infant daughter, gave out for singing before the baptismal service, a portion of the fifth paraphrase, beginning: "As Sparks in quick succession rise."

Mr. Spark's help-mate was a fruitful vine, and presented him with a pledge of her affection every year, the titter among the congregation was unmistakable and irresistible.

DRAWING AN INFERENCE.

A certain functionary of a country parish is usually called the minister's man, and to one of these who had gone through a long course of such parish official life, a gentleman one day remarked—"John, ye ha been sae lang about the minister's hand that I dare say ye could preach a sermon yerself now!"

To which John modestly replied:

"O na, Sir, I couldnae preach a sermon, but maybe I could draw an inference."

"Well, John," said the gentleman, humorizing the quiet vanity of the beadle. "What inference could ye draw frar this text: 'A wild ass snuffeth up the wind at her pleasure'?" (Jer. II, 24.)

"Weel, Sir, I wad draw this inference: 'She wad snuff a long time afore she wad fatten upon it!'

PRACTICAL PIETY.

The following story was told by the Rev. William Arnot at a soiree in Sir W. H. Moncrieff's church some years ago: Dr. MacLeod and Dr. Watson were in the West Highlands together on a tour, ere leaving for India. While crossing a loch in a boat, in company with a number of passengers a storm came on; one of the passengers was heard to say, "The two ministers should begin to pray, or we'll be drowned." "Na, na," said a boathman, "the little ones can pray, if he likes, but the big one must tak, an oar."

ACTS OF PARLIAMENT.

A junior minister having to assist at a church in a remote part of Aberdeenshire, the parochial minister (one of the old school) promised his young friend a good glass of whisky toddy after all was over, adding slyly and very significantly, "and guude smuggled whiskey." His Southern guest thought it incumbent to say, "Ah, minister, that's wrong, is it not? You know it is contrary to Act of Parliament." The old Aberdonian could not so easily give up his fine whiskey, so he quietly said, "Oh, Acts of Parliament loss their breath before they get to Aberdeenshire."

Lupine Instinct.

PORT WILLIAM, ONT.—That a wolf, once trapped, may be caught again, is the experience of an Indian, named Charlie Shaganash, at Quarry. Last fall Charlie trapped a large wolf which, however, earned its way to freedom by the rather heroic method of gnawing off the front leg by which he had poor fare and poor beer, his grace was, "We thank Thee for the meat."

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it unmistakable foot prints that revealed its identity. Recently Charlie went out along his trap line and found the lame wolf securely clamped by the steel jaws, which were clamped about his other front leg. The wolf apparently realized that it would be fatal to gnaw off this one remaining front leg, and it was just as fatal not to do so. And now, after waiting six months, Charlie is ready to collect the bounty.

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**Crumbling Monument
Of a Great Divine.**WESLEY'S TOMB IN STATE OF
DISPAIR.

London, April 15. (Canadian Press)

A forlorn and decaying object is the monument over the grave of John Wesley, the founder of Methodism.

The little graveyard where Wesley was buried is behind the famous chapel in the City Road, and is visited by thousands of pilgrims.

The turf in this place is meagre and impoverished, and the asphalt paths are cracked. The monument itself is in a very serious state of disrepair.

With its long inscriptions telling of the life and labours of the evangelist, it is blackened with soot. The surface of the stonework is scarred and defaced, and the foundations are falling to pieces.

It is well-known that the atmosphere of London corrodes certain kinds of stone, and this one shows the atmospheric effect in pronounced deterioration.

The atmosphere has bitten deep into the surface of the plinth of the memorial, and honeycombed it with ruts and fissures.

The memory of John Wesley deserves something other than this crumbling monument in a decaying wilderness.

Nearly two years ago the First London District Synod passed a resolution drawing the attention of the trustees of Wesley's chapel to the unkempt condition of Wesley's burial ground, and urgently requesting that

"an appeal be made to the Methodist people for funds to put the historic site in a state worthy of its traditional importance." A renovation fund has been opened and £10,000 is asked for.

It is estimated that this amount will be required to defray the cost of repairing the chapel and the churchyard with its memorials.

**Watch Ours
Not Doing It.**

Without a dissenting vote voice the members of the House of Assembly of Nova Scotia, says the North Sydney Herald of April 5, yesterday voted to cut their sessional allowances from \$1,500 to \$1,000, thus putting them on record as the only bunch of legislators in the country to perform a similar stunt. Bravo!

Watch the eagerness of Newfoundland's bunch of M.H.A.'s in following suit. It is to laugh.

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In Open Letter on Railway Matters.

R. C. Morgan, Esq., C.E.,
Winnipeg, in the Dominion of
Canada, and of the Canadian
Pacific Railway Company, City.

Sir.—In my comparison of
the Railway system with that of
the Canadian Pacific, and other Companies
to which you made reference, I
did not have it supposed that I
the Reid Newfoundland Com-
pany to be held responsible for the
general equipment of the line. They
were in no way responsible for it. The
pioneers of Railway in this country considered
the accommodation originally provided
was sufficiently elaborate and ex-
pensive for the means of the Colony;
they were right. The people were
contented with it, but they
contemplated that for such a
large and accommodation they
should be charged rates equivalent to
any payable over the luxuriously
equipped and first class Railways of
the United States. To
them to pay such rates, or
to suggest such rates for their
own and acceptance is an affront
to the intelligence of the people
of this country, who are not, as some
desire to believe, "too
eager to burn." There are
rugs too, in our midst, but
do not by any means form the
bulk of the population of this Island;
nor are they for the most part,
men of the soil.

"For years past the management
of the Reid Newfoundland Com-
pany has been so horribly inefficient
that any person who attempts to travel on the Reid
trains is taking his life in his
hands. . . . No effort
whatever has been made to keep
the rail line in repair." (See
page 364 Hansard 1917).

The country is in great peril by
allowing the state of affairs to
continue as they are to day. (See
page 366 of the Hansard
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These antitheses, to the railway
systems you have submitted for com-
parison, will come to you with a
spontaneous flash, and answer in
fact. And now with regard to freight
rates. When people have to wait for
days and weeks together to obtain
goods shipped over short distances,
and weeks and months for goods ordered
from abroad via the Reid New-
foundland Railway; when they have to
submit to having their goods knocked
to pieces, lost, and destroyed, the
service can hardly be termed first
class, and the public cannot reasonably
be expected to pay first class
rates, or even to forward their goods
by rail if they can avoid so doing.
The freight service is as bad, perhaps
worse, than the passenger service.
Permit me to quote from Official Re-
ports in corroboration of that state-
ment:

"The freight rates charged over
the Reid lines are something to
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Something is radically wrong
with the railway. A
number of persons lost their lives
in a most tragic manner. Some of
them apparently were caged up in
the second class car by the sleep-
ing arrangements and were confin-

"ed and unable to get out and were
burned to death. The accident was
connected more particularly with
the defective manner of lighting
the cars, and when the car over-
turned the oil ran from the lamps,
was ignited and set fire to the
compartment." (See page 365
Hansard 1917).

"Every other day accidents are
occurring. There
have been a large number of runs
offs and accidents, and these will
continue. Two-thirds
of the ties are rotten. Anybody
who knows about the condition of
the road knows that it is not in a
condition for traffic. The Company
are not spending money to any
large extent on the railway." (See
page 364 Hansard 1917).

"The country is in great peril by
allowing the state of affairs to
continue as they are to day. (See
page 366 of the Hansard
1917.)

"The Intercolonial Railway has
refused to accept the trans-
shipment of goods via North Syd-
ney because the Reid Newfound-
land Company is not at cer-
tain seasons of the year to relieve
the freight congestion at North
Sydney." (See page 367 Hansard
1917.)

Are you surprised then, in the light
of the foregoing, that freight traffic
by rail and steamer dwindled as the
years advanced? And are you still
opinion that such a service war-
ranted increased rates, and increased
subsides?

If I read your Report correctly, you
assume that the Railway rates in force
to-day, are precisely those which
were in operation twenty odd years
ago. Permit me to say that is not
correct. The Contractor has increased
the rates from time to time. It was
alleged before the Legislature, that in
some instances the increase amounted
to two hundred per cent. over the
rates that had been applied previous
to the war; and it was not contradicted.
Sir W. D. Reid, late President of
the Reid Newfoundland Company, in
his letter to Lord Shanghnessy from
which I have previously quoted,
boasted of having increased the rates
in face of "popular disapproval."
And it was stated by a business man
in the House of Assembly that the
rate increased on all goods was
"from one to two hundred per cent.
higher." (See page 244 Hansard
1917.) Up to date those war rates
apply to freight and passengers. Is
your recommendation then, for an in-
crease of freight and passenger rates,
made upon the basis of present rates?
I cannot think so, because the pre-
sent revenue from the operating of
the railway would assuredly be "lost
in the follies of excess." Higher
rates than the present ones, would
force people to other means of trans-
it. I must assure you that you were not
aware when compiling your statistics
that the original rates under
contract have been increased for
years, from one to two hundred per
cent. It just shows how necessary it is
to have "verified" records and ac-
counts before one.

(To be continued.)

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"Hazel Kirke."

A MELODRAMA REVIVED.

(By Our Dramatic Critic.)
I wish I were an actor. The foot-
lights never did attract me much, al-
though I once would have played the
little part in "Henry V." by a fellow
named Brakeshoff or Shakespeare,
something like that I know, but all
my supports (not braces, you know)
got the fu and neither the pins nor
I came off. Since seeing "Hazel
Kirke," at the Casino, however, I am
simply pining to play "Pittacus
Green," and perform the duty he
owed to society and which he execut-
ed so often—provided of course, that
Miss Kathleen Frazer still plays the
title role. How much easier would
life be to us poor mortals if all our
duties to society were so pleasant and
easy to perform! Seriously, I really
enjoyed "Hazel Kirke" from begin-
ning to end. It was a revival of the
good old English melodrama that was
so prevalent in the last years of the
past century. I envy those who could
go to a play every night and always
get a good thrill, a real heartache and
plenty of good bright comedy. The
modern type of play never did appeal
to me, and now that I have seen the
kind of drama enjoyed by our fathers
and mothers and uncles and aunts, it
appeals to me still less. It was, indeed,
a pleasant sensation to feel my
hair stand on end at times, and my
hearty laughter some people refer
to it a little less politely—at the droll
sayings of "Pittacus Green" caused
the lady in front of me to turn and
ask if I had a fit and would like a
cough drop. One thing I have learned
from the play, and that is that if I
ever marry, Scotland is the last place
in the world in which I should com-
mit the deed. It appears that besides
the usual accessories to a proper
wedding, in Scotland one must have
a map to see if one is really over
the border or not. If not, then the mar-
riage is not legal. That was the un-
fortunate position that "Hazel Kirke"
found herself in after being thrown
out of her home by her father be-
cause she preferred the man of her
heart to her father's choice. Every-
thing came right in the end, I am
pleased to say—although there is
one death—a narrow escape and an
accident, before the ultimate happy
ending is reached.

"Hazel Kirke" was charmingly por-
trayed by Miss Kathleen Frazer. The
part is a heavy one, the heaviest I
think that this talented young lady
has yet undertaken, and no profes-
sional could have excelled her. The
one fault that can be found with her
is one or two others, is that their
voices were very low at times, and
could not have been audible to those
in the back rows. Miss Frazer seems
to live in every part she plays, a true
sign of the born actress, and she
seems to be equally at home in the
lightest comedy and the heaviest
drama. She combines a fascinating
personality with historic talent,
making a matchless combination.
Miss Hilda Krentzlin had a lighter
role in the character of "Dolly Dut-
ton," and played it well. This is, I
think, her first appearance on the
local stage, but I have no hesitation
in forecasting that it will not be her
last. Mrs. Baxter was her old inimitable
self, and her splendid portrayal of
"Mercy Kirke" won well merited
applause. Mrs. Hutton had very little
to do as Lady Travers; but what little
she had was difficult, and to say
that she did it well is but a poor
compliment to her excellent effort. Miss
Joyce Dunfield was quite good as
"Clara," the maid.

Mr. A. E. Holmes was the life of
the play, and as "Pittacus Green," he
gave a performance which has seldom
been equalled on the local amateur
stage. The part was not an easy one,
and Mr. Holmes deserves all the more
credit for his splendid characterization.
I am thinking of sending him a
bill for his embrocation with which I
was compelled to anoint my aching
sides as a result of laughing at his
drolleries. Mr. T. H. O'Neill had a
very difficult part, that of the hard-
hearted father, and he played it in
the powerful and able manner with

which one always associates him. In
the third and last acts, when he was
blind and delirious, he played his part
so well, and with such conviction,
that the audience was visibly affected.
Mr. A. Stanfield played the part of
"Lord Travers" with distinction. His
bearing and diction were all that
could be desired. Mr. Glass also
played a difficult part in an able manner.
Mr. Percy Jardine as the village
idiot, "Methusalem Muggins" again
showed the wonderful versatility
which he has so frequently demonstrated
within the past few years. Mr. P. J. Grace, "Paddy for
short" was good in the minor part of
Barney O'Flynn. In the other minor
roles, Messrs. J. Walsh, J. Maddigan
and G. Jackman were good. I am
hoping to see "Hazel Kirke" again. I
think others intend to do so, too. Be-
tween the second and third acts a
beautiful bouquet was presented Miss
Frazer, amidst thunderous applause.
Music was supplied by the Majestic
Orchestra, whose talents in this di-
rection have won for them unstinted
praise. "Hazel Kirke" will be repeat-
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Board of Trade Meeting.

Lengthy Debate---Nothing Conclusive Accomplished---Amended Resolution Accepted.

After spending more than an hour in quibbling over the wording of a resolution prepared by its Council, the largely attended meeting of the Board of Trade adjourned yesterday, without having accomplished anything worth while. The original resolution was passed in an amended form. The Prime Minister attended the meeting not in his official capacity, but as a member of the Board of Trade. Mr. C. R. Duder, Vice President of the Board of Trade was chairman.

RESOLUTION PROPOSED.

After explaining the reason for the meeting which was to consider the Prime Minister's reply to the resolutions passed by the Board and presented to him, Mr. Duder read a resolution to the effect that a committee should be appointed with a view to reducing taxation and expenditure. He read the letter which accompanied the Board's resolutions which had been submitted to the Government and also messages from the outports concurring with the stand the local Board of Trade had taken on the questions of tariff reform and reduction of the Estimates. All these messages have appeared in the press. Mr. Duder said that two days after he had interviewed the Premier in connection with the resolutions, he had received a message from Sir Richard asking for a signed petition. This was obtained and the result was known to all. As no reply was received to this, a further letter was sent to the Prime Minister, and on Thursday afternoon a reply was received and was laid before the Council of the Board of Trade. It was then decided that the reply should be laid before a general meeting of the Board.

THE PREMIER'S REPLY.

The reply sent by the Prime Minister to the Board of Trade petition was as follows:—

April 13, 1922.

E. A. Payn, Esq.,
Secretary Board of Trade.

Dear Sir,—I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the ninth instant forwarding four copies of printed resolutions considered at a meeting held in the Board of Trade rooms some days ago, to which are appended certain signatures.

On the 8th instant Mr. C. R. Duder, Vice-President of the Board of Trade, Chairman of the meeting referred to, called upon me and handed me a letter of April fifth over his signature to which was annexed, unsigned, printed copy of the resolutions.

These resolutions, together with the original resolutions printed and circulated by the Board of Trade of which the printed resolutions forwarded are a modification, were then discussed by Mr. Duder and myself and I pointed out to him in brief my reply to the various recitals and paragraphs of the resolutions both original and as modified. I also pointed out to Mr.

what other assistance could be offered beyond an expression of opinion on what should be done. He was opposed to the resolution in its original form.

Mr. Outerbridge suggested that the resolution should be reworded. Some further discussion took place. Mr. White offering to withdraw his support of the original resolution and offering to support the amendment. Mr. Bowring held to the original form. Mr. C. Marshall seconded the amended form. Mr. Howley said that if the amended resolution were accepted capital might be made out of the fact that it was proposed by an active politician. No matter what the imperfections of the original resolution were, it would be better coming from a non-partisan body of men, anxious to help the country out of the mess which it is in. Mr. White submitted a re-worded resolution and this was seconded by Mr. Bowring. Mr. F. Bradshaw suggested that the Prime Minister should be asked to give his opinion.

PREMIER SPEAKS.

Sir Richard Squires said that he was present as a member of the Board of Trade and not as Prime Minister. He said he would be happy to submit any suggestions received from a committee of the Board to Committee of Council. Nothing would give him greater pleasure than to confer with such a committee. He quoted figures to show how difficult it would be to return to 1914 conditions. He again repeated his statement that he would be delighted to confer with a Board of Trade committee.

The resolution as amended, was then put to the meeting and carried unanimously.

RESOLUTION.

This meeting being firmly convinced of the immediate necessity of a general reduction in taxation, and consequently a corresponding reduction in expenditure, hereby empowers the Council of the Board of Trade to appoint a Committee to meet the Prime Minister in accordance with his request, and to ascertain the points on which the Government require our assistance for action by the Council of the Board of Trade.

The Wrong Address Again.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—I noticed in your paper last night that occupier of 147 Le Marchant Road suggests the person having lost the three five dollar bills at the London New York Paris Store, lived at 147 Patrick Street. I wish to state that I live at the latter address and no one in my household has had the misfortune to lose any money. Would the person that has lost the money put in their advertisement the correct address and save further inconvenience.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for taking up the valuable space in your paper, I am,

Yours very truly,

W. R. GOOBIE.

147 Patrick Street,
April 18, 1922.

C.C.C. "At Home."

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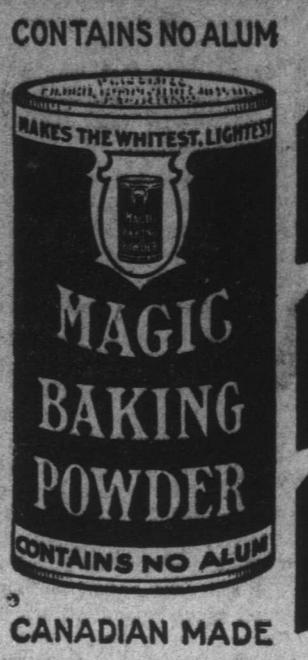
The annual "At Home" of the C.C.C. was held last night and proved a most enjoyable affair. Over 100 couples were present and all had a very pleasant evening. The music furnished by the full C.C.C. Band could not have been improved upon and Capt. A. Bulley deserves to be congratulated upon its excellence. A splendid supper was served by the lady friends of the Brigade.

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Mr. Morine offered a few more suggestions.

Mr. L. G. Outerbridge said that the first speaker was under an entire misapprehension of the plain English of the resolution. The Board of Trade would not be committing themselves in any way but merely wanted the committee to offer assistance on any point on which assistance might be necessary. The object of the appointment of the Committee was simply and solely to give any information that the Government had not got and this they were only too willing to give. Last year eight bankers of Newfoundland had all bumper catches and yet each one of them lost \$5000 owing to the high rate of taxation. If this were to continue the Bank fishery would have to be wound up. There was nothing in the resolution that the wording of it did not actually say. Mr. Morine asked



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night the boat crews made themselves as comfortable as circumstances would permit.

Star Club Dance.

The Star Club Dance held in the Star of the Sea Association Club Rooms last night was attended by over 400 people. The affair proved very enjoyable, and the music by the Empire Band was of an exceptionally pleasing character. The Club is to be congratulated on the success of their effort.

Schooner Nancy Lee is now loading at Monroe's premises and sails for Brazil during the week.

Acknowledgment.

Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir,—Please permit me to know, with thanks, through columns, the receipt of the un-named donation toward the War Fund.

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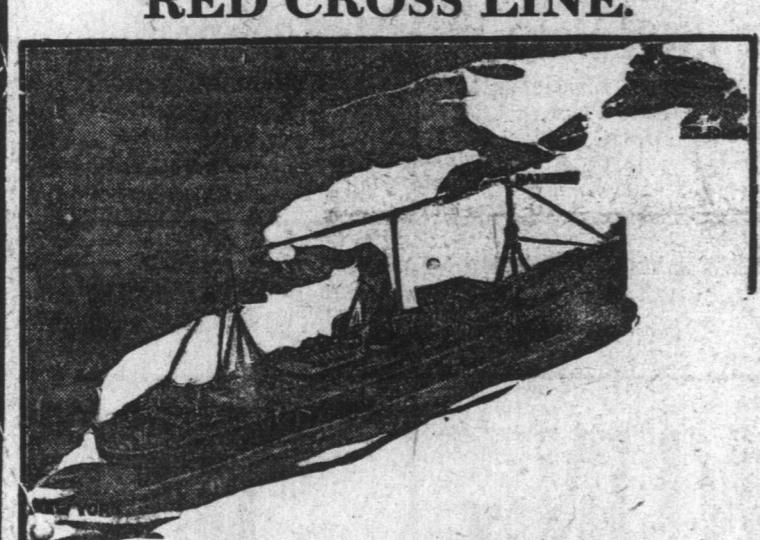
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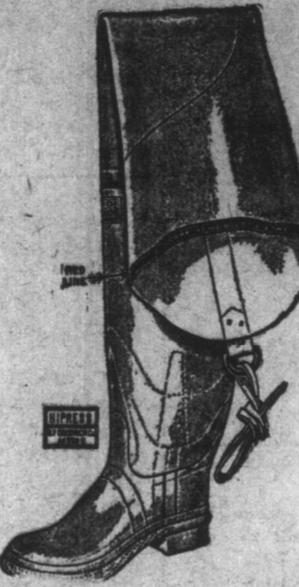
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Editor Evening Telegram

Dear Sir—I was present last evening at the C.L.B. Band Concert. Prominent on the list of artists who assisted was the ever popular Karl Trapnell, and as I listened to his ringing tenor voice I wondered to myself if our people ever realized the vast amount of work he has been doing voluntarily and freely for so long a period. If humanly possible he has ever been ready and willing to place his services at the disposal of all classes and creeds of the community. During the past seven or eight years he has been continually before a public which has never tired of his art, but on the contrary, like Oliver Twist, has constantly demanded "more." It would not, I think, be an exaggeration to say that Mr. Trapnell has sung at least twice as often as any other artiste in St. John's, and on many occasions has performed twice and sometimes thrice during the one evening at different concerts and socials. What this must represent in time, inconvenience and money perhaps he alone is able to estimate. But, whatever the cost, he has not allowed it to interfere with any opportunity to forward the interests of those who request his services. And then my thoughts took a different trend and I wondered if the public who take such pride and pleasure in his great gift, ever think of showing their appreciation of Mr. Karl Trapnell the singer, to Mr. Karl Trapnell the business man. Associated with his father, Mr. R. H. Trapnell, for many years, he has a thorough knowledge of up-to-date optometric and testing methods, having taken a special course abroad in sight-testing and glass adjusting. Last year he started in business for himself with offices at 307 Water Street where he conducts an optical establishment fitted with the most modern appliances for locating and remedying all defects of the vision. He has already gained an enviable reputation in this line. I trust by these few lines I will remind the public that they have in the midst not alone a splendid singer, whose voice is a public asset, but also, and what no doubt is more important from Mr. Trapnell's standpoint, an optical specialist who would no doubt be very pleased with any tangible appreciation of his worth in the shape of business patronage.

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Why Griffith Selected "Way Down East."

The news that David Wark Griffith's production of "Way Down East" will come to the Majestic Theatre on Monday, the play which for the past twenty-two years has been a classic among rural dramas, provokes the inquiry: "Why did Griffith select this bucolic story on which to devote the talents he gave to the making of 'The Birth of a Nation,' 'Intolerance,' 'Broken Blossoms' and 'Hearts of the World?'" And again others will ask: "Why did Griffith select this simple play for his genius in direction, when he might have had for the mere acting almost any new and modern story in present-day literature?" And yet again will come the query from the wise ones along Broadway: "Why did Griffith pay \$175,000 for the motion picture rights to "Way Down East" when he could have bought a similar story for one-tenth the price and made it just as big a feature as this old play by Little Blair Parker?"

These are logical questions and they deserve logical answers. And so perhaps it is best to let the man most concerned with "Way Down East" have his say. Here is what Mr. Griffith says:

"I selected Little Blair Parker's story of "Way Down East" because it lies close to the human heart than any play I ever read dealing with plain people and told in a plain manner. I have had so many requests from those who care for my work to perpetuate, insofar as the motion picture may be capable of perpetuation, this story of New England life. Naturally, being a Southerner, I might have preferred to handle the subject from the viewpoint of a man who was born and who has lived in the South. I am a Kentuckian and mighty proud of it. But my heart is not sectional. I can see human love and human fondness in Maine just as quickly as I can in Alabama. "Way Down East" is a human story, humanely told by a woman who deserves a place in the dramatic and literary Hall of Fame for the reason that she has given to the American people as a heritage one of the most tender and appealing stories ever written."

Fire Destroys Shop.

AT BISHOP FALLS.

Fire last night completely destroyed the general store owned by a man named Myles of Bishop Falls. This information was conveyed in a message to the Reid Newfoundland Company from its agent there. The shop was situated near the railway station. Up to press hour, no further news concerning the loss was received. Nothing has been heard of the cause of the fire.

Shipping Notes.

Schr. Nellie T. Walters has entered at Marytown to load codfish for Oporto.

Barq. Czarina arrived in port this morning from Barbados.

Schr. Over the Top arrived in port last night from Barbados.

Schr. General Smuts arrived at Marytown yesterday, salt laden from Trapani.

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

SHIPPING PARALYSED.

ROME, April 18. The shipping crisis has tied up 152 ships of 750, 755 tons in Italy.

WHO WILL BE STUNG?

GENOA, April 18. Action of the Germans in making a treaty with Russia is an absolute breach of loyalty to the general idea of the Genoa Conference, and in that sense is dishonorable and a challenge to Europe authorized British spokesmen declared to the Associated Press. Nevertheless the British Delegation does not think the Conference will be broken up, though Germany has broken loose from it. The French Delegation denounced the treaty bitterly, and said France would exact from Soviet recognition of debts, and restitution of confiscated property. The Italian spokesman alluded to the action of Germany and Russia as dishonorable, adding that it was deplorable from a German viewpoint, and not calculated to bring about happy results in the Conference. The general opinion is that Germany and Russia have overturned the beehive.

PURELY GERMAN.

GENOA, April 18. The German Foreign Minister, Dr. Rathenau, calmly discussed the Russo-German Treaty, which has created such excitement. He said "this Treaty does not in the least interfere between the relations of Russia and Germany with any other state, but simply cancels the past with regard to Germany and Russia, and lays a foundation for future common reconstruction. Because we reached this understanding, during the Genoa Conference, doesn't mean that we intend to do anything beneath our dignity nor that we intend to renounce the general European aims of the Conference."

SCRATCH A RUSSIAN.

GENOA, April 18. George Chittcherin, head of the Russian Delegation, discussing last night the Russo-German Treaty, said negotiations for full resumption of diplomatic relations with Germany and Russia had been in progress several months. "The place and time of signature" he added, "must not be interpreted as indicating that the two Governments intended a special significance in concluding this Treaty at Genoa which was contemplated long ago."

ONLY A SCARE.

BELFAST, April 18. Disorders continued this morning in the Marrowbone District of North Belfast, inhabited largely by Sinn Feiners and a score of casualties from shooting were reported, but only six cases were treated in hospitals.

ON DANGEROUS LEG.

PONTO PRAYA, CAPE VERDE ISLANDS, April 18.—Portuguese trans-Atlantic aviators, Captains Coutinho and Sacadura, hopped off at 5:50 o'clock for St. Paul Rocks, on the third and probably the most dangerous leg of the flight from Lisbon to Rio de Janeiro. Their route lies over 900 miles of water, devoid of markers or guideposts and they expected to reach the rocks in mid-Atlantic in from ten to twelve hours flying.

CONFUSION WORSE CONFOUNDED.

GENOA, April 18. Organizers of the Genoa Conference, to-day, were dazedly attempting to grope a way out of the debris and confusion caused by the explosion of the German-Russian bombshell, secretly signing a formal peace treaty between the two nations at Rappallo on Sunday. Judicial experts of the powers, which organized the conference met this morning to consider whether the new pact violates the stipulations of the Treaty of Versailles, or conflicts with the resolutions of the Supreme Council at Cannes, on which the present conference is founded, and which all nations coming to Genoa were expected to assent, as a basis for the meeting.

JUDGE ORDERS INVESTIGATION.

Two boys were charged in the Police Court to-day with doing malignant damage to a house in the Battery. One was a tiny little fellow who could not be seen behind the bar and had to be picked up by a constable and stood on a chair. His size drew from the judge a remark to the effect that he should have been brought in a cradle. The other of the house said the accused had broken a window in his house and had taken things from it. Mr. Hallay appeared for one of the boys and pleaded not guilty. The Judge ordered the matter to be investigated.

A Casual Visitor.

"I haven't been here for five or six years, Your Honor," said a drunk in the Police Court this morning. "No, I don't remember seeing you here," said the Judge. "You are discharged, but mind you don't come back within six months." Several other drunks were dealt with by His Honor during the morning, all being discharged.

S.S. Rosalind left Halifax at 10 a.m. for this port.

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Now showing new ranges of

Ladies' and Misses' Plain Cashmere Hose

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Misses' Plain Cashmere Hose—in Black, Tan & new Lovat shades.

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WATER STREET.

THE ROYAL



Girl Heavily Fined.

PASSED FORGED CHEQUES. The young stenographer arrested some months ago for passing cheques forged by herself, appeared before Judge Morris this morning. The Crown announced that certain considerations had inclined them to leniency and they permitted the accused to be tried summarily. Judge Morris said the Crown had taken a very lenient view of the case. He impressed the seriousness of her crime upon the accused and told her that as it was her first offense he would give the option of a fine but the value of the forged cheques would also have to be made good. This amounted to \$122 and a fine of \$100 or 6 months was imposed.

THE MACHINE

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Mrs. Somebody else's Clothes

1922 No. 179.

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25 Cases Fresh Eggs.

Book your orders at once.

Further shipment due Wednesday.

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In the Supreme Court.

In the matter of the petition of William Hardman, alleging that the said William Hardman and Frederick H. Hue, trading under the name of "The Imperial Brokerage Co." are and each of them is insolvent and praying that they and each of them be so declared.

Upon reading the petition with schedule annexed to the same name William Hardman, and upon hearing Counsel for the said petitioners, I DO ORDER that the said William Hardman and the said Frederick H. Hue and their creditors appear before me in Chambers at the Court House in St. John's on Friday, the 20th day of April next, at 10:30 o'clock a.m. to be heard and examined upon oath touching the alleged insolvency of the said William Hardman and Frederick H. Hue and to be further dealt with according to law; and I do further order that the Hon. Wm. W. Linn, Registrar of the Supreme Court be and he is hereby appointed trustee of the estate and effects of the said William Hardman and Frederick H. Hue.

And in the meantime let all proceedings against the said alleged insolvents be stayed.

Dated at St. John's this 11th day of April, 1922.

(Sgd.) J. M. KENT, Judge.

On motion of Mr. Howley, K.C., Counsel for alleged insolvents.

april 18, 1922

1922 No. 160.

In the Supreme Court of Newfoundland.

In the matter of the alleged insolvency of Thomas Wakeley and Isaac Wakeley, trading under the name or firm of "Thomas Wakeley & Sons," of Harbor Buffet, in the Electoral District of Placentia and St. Mary's Merchants.

Upon reading the petition of Bowring Brothers, Limited, and the Affidavit in support thereof alleging that the said Thomas Wakeley and Isaac Wakeley, trading under the name or firm of "Thomas Wakeley & Sons" are insolvent, and upon hearing Mr. Pinches, the solicitor for the plaintiffs, I do order that the said Thomas Wakeley and Isaac Wakeley and their Creditors appear before me at the Court House in St. John's, on Friday, the 28th day of April, 1922 at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon to be examined and heard touching the alleged insolvency. As an order further order that Percy Pearse, of St. John's, Merchant, and Ernest C. Nickerson, of Harbor Buffet, Manager, be appointed Interim Trustees of the estate and effects of the said Thomas Wakeley and Isaac Wakeley.

Dated at St. John's this 13th day of April, 1922.

(Sgd.) J. M. KENT, Judge.

april 18, 1922

POOR LIGHT. — Residents of Monkstown Road complain of the poor light afforded that portion of the road from the junction with Renfrew's Mill Road. If the Municipal Council would have the light near this section placed in another position it would serve the dual purpose of lighting both thoroughfares.

We have some very fine val-

ues to offer you!

NEW ARRIVALS—Evangeline High Cuts!



Glove fitted
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THE ORIGINAL
You will wear TWEEDIES for their comfort.
Fit and good style. Wonderfully effective
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We are now showing the very latest
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Have you foot trouble, madam? If so,
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Dr. A. Reed's
Improved
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We also stock this
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Also in Brown, Grey and Tan Kid.

LADIES! Our Showroom is now stocked with the very
choicest of Footwear. While we offer our patrons the Best Shoes at
reasonable prices, we offer, also, Splendid Shoe Service. We are
experts at fitting, and all our ability in this direction, together with
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F. SMALLWOOD, The Home of Good Shoes

SIDE TALKS.

By Ruth Cameron.

OUT AND BACK.

How much of future trouble at housecleaning time will be avoided if you will be sure to take things out of somewhere else and put them back again? A letter respondent writes:

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Inventor of the Lightning Rod.

Benjamin Franklin, who was born in Boston, Massachusetts, in 1706, has the unusual distinction of displaying notable ability, not only as a scientist and philosopher, but also as a very practical politician. For some years he represented the interests of Pennsylvania in London, and was active in the agitation against the Stamp Act passed in the British Parliament imposing new heavy duties on imports. Although at first he undoubtedly did his best to keep the dispute from ending in disaster, a regrettable incident connected with the publishing and publication of private letters, however, led to his return to America, where he participated in the deliberations that produced the Declaration of Independence. From 1775 to 1783, Franklin was accredited Minister to France and co-operated in the settlement of the Treaty of Versailles. Yet, busy and successful in affairs as he was in affairs of State, he would not have acquired widespread and enduring fame but for his labors in the scientific field. Led by the discovery of the Leyden Jar in 1745 to investigate the nature of electricity and the part played in Nature by the new power, he reached the conclusion that electricity and lightning were identical and thus was prompted to devise his famous lightning rod. When it is remembered that he worked for five years as a printer, conducted for a time the "Pennsylvania Gazette," and produced in "Poor Richard's Al-

manack" a kind of literature that was unique in its day and had a great European circulation, it will be obvious that he can have enjoyed scant leisure in his long life, which closed on April 17, 1790. The epitaph composed for him long before his death is well known. "Eriquit oculo fulmen sceptrumque tyranno" (He left Heaven's lightning, and the tyrant's sceptre.)

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Every "Diamond Dyes" package tells how to dye or tint any worn, faded garment or drapery a new rich color that will not streak, spot, fade or run. Perfect home dyeing is guaranteed with Diamond Dyes even if you have never dyed before. Just tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton, or mixed goods. For fifty-one years millions of women have been using "Diamond Dyes" to add years of wear to their old, shabby waists, skirts, dresses, coats, sweaters, stockings, draperies, hangings, everything!

Do you want your choice of a Suit or Overcoat, made and trimmed in the Spurrell way? Almost your own price? We must have work, even if we don't get profits. SPURRELL THE Tailor, 365 Water Street. Jan 30, 1922.

If you missed St. Stephen's Night at the B. I. S. Club Rooms, be sure to attend there Easter Wednesday. There's a reason.

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Lobster Fishery Opens this Month.

GOOD DEMAND IN THE FOREIGN MARKETS.

The lobster fishery on that section of the east between St. Mary's and St. George's will commence on the 26th of this month. During this week the St. John's dealers who are interested directly in this fishery, were quite busy fitting out the Packers with a supply of lobster cans, rope, solder etc. The Union Canning Co. reports that, judging from the orders that have come in for tins, the fishery will be prosecuted this season on a larger scale than any year since 1914.

There is good demand for lobster in the foreign market, and scores of orders, received here for tinned lobster the past three months had to be turned down because there were no lobsters here to go forward. The lobster fishery in Nova Scotia has not been a success and so far is a good deal short of the normal.

The price this year for Newfoundland pack will be such as to encourage all who have the outfit to go into the business, especially as the markets are all cleaned out. It is believed that the local market will open at \$22.00 to \$23.00 per case of 48 one-pound tins.—Trade Review.

Try it today.



WALT MATON

and noble hats and costly boots, he dresses like a king; and shall I let

my neighbor shine in splendor costlier than mine? I can't stand that, by Jingo! My neighbor buys a new sedan that makes mine seem an also-ran, a rusty thing and frayed; and shall my neighbor ride in state while I push round an old tin crate, the first that Henry made? My neighbor's wife is just as bad; she paws around our little grad, a new hat on her head; my wife then murmurs through her tears, "I've had my punk old lid for years—I would that I were dead!" I know just how the woman feels, and so I dig up sundry wheels, a helmet she must buy; we cannot see our neighbor's prance in pomp and state and circumstance, and not make money fly. My neighbor has an ample wad and can afford to walk abroad with diamonds on his duds, and I have just the wags I draw, about enough to buy the slaw, the soups and the spuds. But I'm a dead game sport, I wot; like other sportsmen, I must trot with those who make things whiz; and so my neighbor keeps me broke; I try to leave a trail of smoke as sumptuous as his.

DR. LEHR,

Dentist,

329 Water St.

THE ART OF CHEWING.

Your whole system depends for its health and strength on the stomach. The stomach depends on the teeth. This is the very foundation of health.

It is therefore laid at the first step in food conversion—the act of chewing.

Food improperly chewed enters the stomach in a wrong condition, and it brings about a wrong assimilation which causes fine indigestion then kindred ailments. The proper chewing of the food will prevent these things. Chew your food plentifully.

Going Behind.
Roumania is defaulting in the payment of interest on Treasury notes, according to the Toronto Mail and Empire. Her finances are in very bad shape. Canada's credit to Roumania is likely to stay a credit for a long time.

—By Bud Fisher.



HAY!

An unusually choice lot of 600 bales just to hand. Our price is a very attractive one.

HARVEY & COMPANY, Ltd.**Current Business Conditions**

By GEORGE E. ROBERTS

(From the Monthly Bulletin Issued by The National City Bank of New York for April)

THE general feeling in business circles is one of strengthening conditions, and the year has been a better year than 1921. The improvement in fundamental conditions and in general feeling since the first of the year has been very marked; indeed, from the middle of January to the first of March the situation was perhaps even more pronounced, and a moderate reaction in some lines has naturally resulted.

The stock market, which is prompt to reflect and even anticipate changes in fundamental conditions, has been creeping upward for the last six months, and shows but persistent movement which suggests that better days are coming.

Railroad traffic, as indicated by the reports of car-loadings since the first of the year, have been running ahead of late year, although January gross earnings were about 16 per cent below those of the same month of 1921. On the other hand the net earnings of 199 roads were \$57,421,605 in January against \$28,331,956 in January, 1921, which reflects the reduction in operating expenses.

Trading in all lines is on a short order basis. Foreign buyers seem to be doing the same, and the exchange fluctuations so far as possible, and in the domestic trade there is a prospect that in some lines, particularly clothing and textiles, prices may be lower. There is general agreement, however, that both at home and abroad stocks have been worked down to the minimum and that there must be constant buying to meet the demands for current consumption. This is one respect in which the situation is decidedly more favorable than it was in the latter part of 1920 and throughout most of 1921.

The steel industry has made a marked recovery, the United States Steel Corporation now operating at about 70 per cent. of capacity and the independent companies in the aggregate at probably 60 per cent. While it is considered that production capacity has increased about 50 per cent. since before the war, it will be seen that this is far from a state of stagnation.

The implement industry, although still far from normal, is much better than at this time last year, and that is the case also with the automobile industry, and even more so with the building industry. The figures for the latter are quite remarkable, permits in 161 cities aggregating \$132,969,000 in February last, against \$50,433,167 in February, 1921.

The Situation in Agriculture

The chief factor in the change of sentiment which has occurred since the first of the year has been the

OTHER FACTORS INFLUENCING CONDITIONS

Aside from the unsettled and extremely unsatisfactory state of the reparations question, European affairs have been progressing in a manner to give encouragement.

The Geneva Conference, although of vague import, should accomplish something by bringing the high representatives of all Europe together.

The disturbance in the textile industry of New England is unsettled and spreading, with a likelihood of involving the entire textile industry of that section before it is settled.

The public has taken the impending coal strike very quietly, refusing to believe that there will be any serious effects upon business.

Charitable labor organizations may have more power than the employers, but both are subject to economic law. There is more to the industrial problem than a mere trial of strength between employers and wage-workers. Industrial peace and progress depend upon a general understanding of this fact.

The unfavorable factor which continues to retard industrial recovery is the unbalanced relationship between values in the different industries, resulting from the uneven fall of prices and wages.

There is a rise in prices of farm products. It

came so easily and naturally as to demonstrate that the country had been suffering from excessive pessimism, and that in the natural order of things the economic situation, at a given reasonable time, would re-

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is Leonid Krassin, Bolshevik Minister of Foreign Trade, who was opposed to Bolshevism in 1917 but joined the Communist party after Lenin's victory. His first assignment, that of organizing the transportation system of Russia, ended in utter failure but his efforts along other lines, particularly in securing a trade agreement with England were more successful. He is 45 years old, an electrical engineer by profession and has been referred to as the only real business man of the Soviet government.

DOLPH JOFFE, "signer of peace treaties," headed the Soviet delegation which carried on the long peace negotiations with Poland during the fall and winter of 1920-21. He goes to Genoa as Premier of Soviet Turkistan. He was born in the Crimea, of Jewish parents, 45 years ago. His father accumulated a fortune as carrier of mails in road wagons before the days of railroads.

DR. JACOB JANSON, who will represent the Soviet Far Eastern Republic, is a Lett considered obedient to the Central Executive Committee. He was sent to China to replace M. Krasnachekov after the latter had been there six months and developed tendencies which the Soviet government considered too independent and also too favorable to the United States. He formally resided in New York under the name of Tobinson.

ALEXANDER SHIAPNIKOFF, Soviet Commissioner of Labor and an old leader of the Petrograd labor movement, is a metal worker, and one of the three trade union leaders appointed to the delegation. He is well known in Russia for his position as leader of the workmen's opposition which nearly caused a split in the Communist Party in 1920. Twice he has been given minor positions in the Murmansk district and at Gomel in order to keep him away from Moscow. Following his trade of metal worker, he lived in the United States, London, and Sweden, returning to Russia sometime during the war.

CHRISTIAN RAKOVSKY, President of the Ukraine Republic, a Romanian Jew, was expelled from his country as a Socialist agitator and went to Russia in time to join the 1917 uprising. He speaks several languages including French, German, Turkish and Russian. He is regarded as intelligent, ambitious and cultured.

M. NARIMONOFF, President of the Soviet Azerbaijan Republic, will represent the four Caucasian republics. He is a Tartar Mussulman, 55 years old and very popular at home. Until 40 years of age he was a country school teacher and then studied medicine at the University of Odessa. His entrance into politics was as a leader of the Persian revolution of 1908-09. He endeared himself to the people, of the Azerbaijan republic when he repeatedly refused to sign warrants for the 5,000 or 6,000 sentences of death carried out by the Cheka at Baku after the Azerbaijan republic was taken back into Soviet Russia more than a year ago.

The delegation is completed by M. Litvinoff, Soviet Minister for Foreign Affairs; M. Vorovsky, Soviet representative in Rome; M. Midvan, representing Soviet Georgia; M. Bekdashian, representing Soviet Armenia; M. Hadjeff, representing Soviet Bokhara; M. Roudzadack, and M. Salomonoff, Trade Union Leaders.

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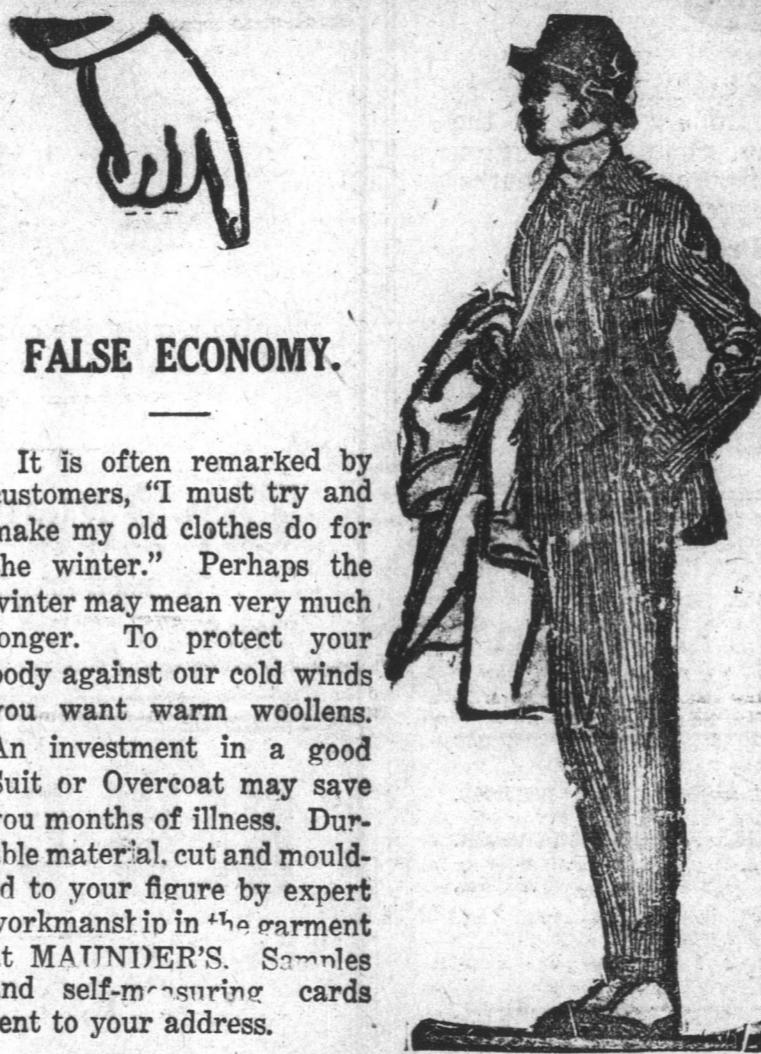
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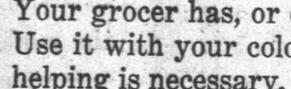


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